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Patent.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2008:96460 CAPLUS

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TITLE: Therapeutic protein conjugates with a water-soluble

biocompatible, biodegradable polyacetals

INVENTOR(S): Papisov, Mikhail I.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): USA

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The present invention relates to biodegradable, biocompatible polyacetal derivs., and methods for making and using them. Importantly, the polyacetal derivs. can be conjugated to proteins (e.g. hormones, antibodies, enzymes) to provide for polyacetal-protein conjugates which demonstrate advantages in bioavailability and biocompatibility compared to unconjugated proteins, without any undesirable side effects. The present invention further relates to processes for preparing the polyacetal-protein conjugates described above. In a more specific embodiment the polyacetal is poly(hydroxymethylene hydroxymethylformal). The present invention also relates to methods of treatment of individuals using the polyacetal-protein conjugates as above. Specifically claimed is a method of treating inflammation comprising administering an effective amount of a polyacetal-IL-1ra conjugate to a patient in need thereof.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2008491960 MEDI-THE DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 18495787

Activation of NOD2 in vivo induces IL-1beta production in TITLE: the eye via caspase-1 but results in ocular

inflammation independently of IL-1 signaling.

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LANGUAGE: English

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Nucleotide-binding and oligomerization domain 2 (NOD2) belongs to the emerging Nod-like receptor (NLR) family considered important in innate immunity. Mutations in NOD2 cause Blau syndrome, an inherited inflammation of eye, joints, and skin. Mutations in a homologous region of another NLR member, NALP3, cause autoinflammation, wherein IL-1beta plays a critical role. Here, we tested the hypothesis that IL-1beta is a downstream mediator of NOD2-dependent ocular inflammation. We used a mouse model of NOD2-dependent ocular inflammation induced by muramyl dipeptide (MDP), the minimal bacterial motif sensed by NOD2. We report that MDP-induced ocular inflammation generates IL-1beta and IL-18 within the eye in a NOD2- and caspase-1-dependent manner. Surprisingly, two critical measures of ocular inflammation, leukocyte rolling and leukocyte intravascular adherence, appear to be completely independent of IL-1 signaling effects, as caspase-1 and IL-1R1-deficient mice still developed ocular inflammation in response to MDP. In contrast to the eye, a diminished neutrophil response was observed in an in vivo model of MDP-induced peritonitis in caspase-1-deficient mice, suggesting that IL-1beta is not essential in NOD2-dependent ocular inflammation, but it is involved, in part, in systemic inflammation triggered by NOD2 activation. This disparity may be influenced by IL-1R antagonist (IL-1Ra), as we observed differential IL-1Ra levels in the eye versus plasma at baseline levels and in response to MDP treatment. This report reveals a new in vivo function of NOD2 within the eye yet importantly, distinguishes NOD2-dependent from NALP3-dependent inflammation, as ocular inflammation in mice occurred independently of IL-1beta.

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2008243927 EMBASE ACCESSION NUMBER:

TITLE: Effects of estrogen on temporal expressions of IL-1β

and IL-1ra in rat organotypic

hippocampal slices exposed to oxygen-glucose deprivation. AUTHOR:

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Anti-inflammatory action of estrogen is involved in neuroprotection but

the effects of estrogen on $IL-1\beta$ and its endogenous antagonist (

IL-1ra) have not been clearly defined in the ischemic brain. This study was performed to evaluate whether estrogen

affects the expression of $IL-1\beta$ or IL-1ra and the

ratio of the two in the ischemic hippocampus. Rat organotypic hippocampal slices were treated with 17β estradiol (E2, 1 nM) for 7 days, exposed

to oxygen-glucose deprivation (OGD) for 30 min, and then reperfused for 72 h. CAl neuronal death quantified by propidium iodide (PI) staining and

expressions of IL-1β and IL-1ra in slices

measured by real-time PCR and Western blotting were examined. PI

intensities in CA1 in slices treated with E2 were significantly reduced at 24 h and 72 h post-OGD, and IL-1β mRNA expressions were reduced at 6

h and 24 h post-OGD. In addition, IL-1ra mRNA was

significantly overexpressed and the ratio of IL-1β to IL-

1ra mRNA expression was reduced by E2 especially at 24 h. In terms of protein levels, E2 downregulated IL-1β but upregulated

IL-1ra and thereby decreased the IL-1β/ IL

-1ra ratio at 24 h. These findings demonstrate that

estrogen-induced protection is associated with a decrease in $IL-1\beta$

and an increase in IL-1ra expression in the ischemic

hippocampus during early reperfusion periods, which suggests that

modulation of IL-1β/ IL-1ra might be a part of

anti-inflammatory effects of estrogen. .COPYRGT. 2008 Elsevier Ireland Ltd. All rights reserved.

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TITLE: Besifloxacin, a novel fluoroquinolone antimicrobial agent,

exhibits potent inhibition of pro-inflammatory cytokines in

human THP-1 monocytes.

AUTHOR: Zhang Jin-Zhong; Ward Keith W

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SOURCE: The Journal of antimicrobial chemotherapy, (2008 Jan) Vol. 61, No. 1, pp. 111-6. Electronic Publication: 2007-10-25. Journal code: 7513617. E-ISSN: 1460-2091.

PUB. COUNTRY: England: United Kingdom

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE) (RESEARCH SUPPORT, NON-U.S. GOV'T)

LANGUAGE: English

FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals

ENTRY MONTH: 200802

ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 19 Dec 2007

Last Updated on STN: 29 Feb 2008 Entered Medline: 28 Feb 2008

AB OBJECTIVES: This study was conducted to evaluate the anti-inflammatory effects of besifloxacin, a novel fluoroquinolone under clinical evaluation for treatment of ophthalmic infections. METHODS: Cytokine expression in human THP-1 monocytes was stimulated by lipopolysaccharide (LPS), and Luminex technology was used to determine the effect of besifloxacin on LPS-induced cytokine expression. Moxifloxacin, a marketed fluoroquinolone used in ophthalmic infections, was used as the control. RESULTS: LPS induced measurable cytokine expression for 14 of the 16 cytokines assayed. Besifloxacin significantly inhibited LPS-stimulated cytokine production in a dose-dependent manner, with a comparable [granulocyte macrophage colony-stimulating factor (GM-CSF), interleukin (IL)-1beta, IL-8, interferon-inducible protein (IP-10), monocyte chemotactic protein-1 (MCP-1) and macrophage inflammatory protein-lalpha (MIP-lalpha)] or better [granulocyte CSF (G-CSF), IL-lalpha, IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1ra) and IL-6] potency compared with moxifloxacin. A significant inhibitory effect of besifloxacin was observed at 0.1 mg/L for IL-lalpha, at 1 mg/L for G-CSF, IL-1ra and IL-6 and at 30 mg/L for GM-CSF, IL-12p40, IL-1beta, IL-8, IP-10, MCP-1 and MIP-lalpha. CONCLUSIONS: Besifloxacin acts as an anti-inflammatory agent in monocytes in vitro; this attribute may enhance its efficacy in ocular infections with an inflammatory component and warrants further investigation.

ANSWER 5 OF 124 MEDLINE on STN ACCESSION NUMBER: 2008346686 DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 18489763

TITLE: Plasma IP-10, apoptotic and angiogenic factors associated

with fatal cerebral malaria in India.

AUTHOR: Jain Vidhan; Armah Henry B; Tongren Jon E; Ned Renee M; Wilson Nana O; Crawford Sara; Joel Pradeep K; Singh

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FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals

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BACKGROUND: Plasmodium falciparum in a subset of patients can lead to cerebral malaria (CM), a major contributor to malaria-associated mortality. Despite treatment, CM mortality can be as high as 30%, while 10% of survivors of the disease may experience short- and long-term neurological complications. The pathogenesis of CM is mediated by alterations in cytokine and chemokine homeostasis, inflammation as well as vascular injury and repair processes although their roles are not fully understood. The hypothesis for this study is that CM-induced changes in inflammatory, apoptotic and angiogenic factors

mediate severity of CM and that their identification will enable development of new prognostic markers and adjunctive therapies for preventing CM mortalities. METHODS: Plasma samples (133) were obtained from healthy controls (HC, 25), mild malaria (MM, 48), cerebral malaria survivors (CMS, 48), and cerebral malaria non-survivors (CMNS, 12) at admission to the hospital in Jabalpur, India. Plasma levels of 30 biomarkers ((IL-1beta, IL-1ra, IL-2, IL-4, IL-5, IL-6, IL-8, IL-9, IL-10, IL-12 (p70), IL-13, IL-15, IL-17, Eotaxin, FGF basic protein, G-CSF, GM-CSF, IFN-gamma, IP-10, MCP-1 (MCAF), MIP-lalpha, MIP-1beta, RANTES, TNF-alpha, Fas-ligand (Fas-L), soluble Fas (sFas). soluble TNF receptor 1 (sTNF-R1) and soluble TNF receptor 2 (sTNFR-2), PDGF bb and VEGF)) were simultaneously measured in an initial subset of ten samples from each group. Only those biomarkers which showed significant differences in the pilot analysis were chosen for testing on all remaining samples. The results were then compared between the four groups to determine their role in CM severity. RESULTS: IP-10, sTNF-R2 and sFas were independently associated with increased risk of CM associated mortality. CMNS patients had a significantly lower level of the neuroprotective factor VEGF when compared to other groups (P < 0.0045). The ratios of VEGF to IP-10, sTNF-R2, and sFas distinguished CM survivors from non survivors (P < 0.0001). CONCLUSION: The results suggest that plasma levels of IP-10, sTNF-R2 and sFas may be potential biomarkers of CM severity and mortality. VEGF was found to be protective against CM associated mortality and may be considered for adjunctive therapy to improve the treatment outcome in CM patients.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2008:1033092 CAPLUS

TITLE: Interleukin-l and corticotropin-releasing factor receptors in the hypothalamic-pituitary-adrenal axis AUTHOR(S): Takao, Toshihiro; Hashimoto, Kozo; De Souza, Errol B.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Division of Community Medicine, Department of Community Nursing, Kochi Medical School, Nankoku,

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treatment of AtT-20 mouse pituitary adenoma cells for 24 h with neuroendocrine mediators of stress such as CRF and catecholamine receptor (β 2 adrenergic) agonists produced a dose-dependent increase in CAMP

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TITLE: Trimethyltin-evoked apoptosis of murine hippocampal granule

neurons is accompanied by the expression of

interleukin-lbeta and interleukin-1 receptor antagonist in cells of ameboid phenotype, the majority of which are

NG2-positive.

AUTHOR: Fiedorowicz, Anna; Figiel, Izabela (correspondence);

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AB Interleukin-1beta (IL-1β) has been implicated in various neuropathologies, while IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1ra

) has been shown to reduce neuronal injury. We investigated the pattern of expression of both cytokines in murine hippocampus after trimethyltin (TMT) intoxication. Using a ribonuclease protection assay, we

demonstrated induction of transcription of IL-1 β and IL-1ra 3 days following TMT treatment which correlated with

the peak of neuronal apoptosis. At this time, immunocytochemical staining revealed enhanced expression of both cytokines in NG2 proteoglycan

revealed enhanced expression or both cytokines in Ms2 proteoglycan expressing ameboid cells located at the site of neurotoxic insult, some of which bound also the microglial marker, lectin. There was some overlap between NG2 and lectin staining. Our results suggest that the two

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presumed protective action of IL-lra. The novel finding of expression of both cytokines in NG2(+) cells of ameboid

phenotype indicates that these cells, through the regulatory roles of proand anti-inflammatory cytokines, may be involved in control of neuronal death or survival after injury. .COPYRGT. 2008 Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved. reserved on STN DUPLICATE 3

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2008261712 EMBASE

TITLE: Plasma IP-10, apoptotic and angiogenic factors associated

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lipopolysaccharide and ATP before and after interleukin-1

blockade in patients with CIAS1 mutations. AUTHOR: Gattorno Marco; Tassi Sara; Carta Sonia; Delfino Laura;

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Alessio Maria; Martini Alberto; Rubartelli Anna Second Division of Pediatrics, IRCCS, Istituto G. Gaslini, CORPORATE SOURCE:

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AB

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OBJECTIVE: To examine the synthesis, processing, and secretion of interleukin-1beta (IL-1beta), as well as the clinical and biologic effects of IL-1 blockade, in patients with chronic infantile neurologic, cutaneous, articular (CINCA) syndrome and Muckle-Wells syndrome (MWS), in an effort to understand the molecular mechanisms linking mutations of the CIAS1 gene and IL-1beta hypersecretion, and the underlying response to IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1Ra). METHODS: Six patients with CINCA syndrome or MWS were treated with IL-1Ra and followed up longitudinally. Monocytes obtained from the patients and from 24 healthy donors were activated with lipopolysaccharide (LPS) for 3 hours, and intracellular and secreted IL-1beta levels were determined by Western blotting and enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay before and after exposure to exogenous ATP. RESULTS: LPS-induced IL-1beta secretion was markedly increased in monocytes from patients with CIAS1 mutations. However, unlike in healthy subjects, secretion of IL-1beta was not induced by exogenous ATP. Treatment with IL-1Ra resulted in a dramatic clinical improvement, which was paralleled by an early and strong down-regulation of LPS-induced IL-1beta secretion by the patients' cells in vitro. CONCLUSION: Our results showed that the requirements of ATP stimulation for IL-lbeta release observed in healthy individuals are bypassed in patients bearing CIAS1 mutations. This indicates that cryopyrin is the direct target of ATP and that the

mutations release the protein from the requirement of ATP for activation. treatment is at least partly due to the strong decrease in IL-lbeta secretion that follows the first injections of the antagonist.

In addition, the dramatic amelioration induced by IL-1Ra

These findings may have implications for other chronic inflammatory conditions characterized by increased IL-1beta.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2007:1253717 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 148:424109

TITLE: Mutations in cryopyrin: bypassing roadblocks in the

caspase 1 inflammasome for interleukin-1β

secretion and disease activity

AUTHOR(S): Dinarello, Charles A.

CORPORATE SOURCE: University of Colorado Health Sciences Center, Denver,

USA SOURCE: Arthritis & Rheumatism (2007), 56(9), 2817-2822

CODEN: ARHEAW; ISSN: 0004-3591

PUBLISHER: John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE . English

The research of Gattorno et al. (2007) entitled "Pattern of

interleukin-1β secretion in response to lipopolysaccharide and ATP before and after interleukin-1 blockade in patients with CIAS1 mutations" is reviewed with commentary and refs. The authors studied the secretion of interleukin-18 (IL-18) from primary blood monocytes obtained

from patients with chronic infantile neurol., cutaneous,

articular (CINCA) syndrome (known in North America as neonatal-onset multisystem inflammatory disease [NOMID]) and from a patient with Muckle-Wells syndrome (MWS) before and during treatment with anakinra, a recombinant human IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL-

1Ra). The study focused on the function of the $IL-1\beta$

"inflammasome"and the effect of mutations in cryopyrin, the protein of the NALP3 gene. The results of this study show that in vivo therapy with anakinra in patients with CIAS1 mutations was associated with an in vitro reduction in the secretion of IL-1β from monocytes as compared with secretion before treatment. Monocytes from the patient without

mutations, although secreting more IL-1β than those from controls, secreted the same amount of IL-1B before, as well as after, anakinra

treatment.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1994:48026 BIOSIS DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199497061026

Effects of peripheral IL-1RA TITLE:

treatment after focal cerebral ischaemia in the

AUTHOR(S): Relton, J. K.; Martin, D.; Russell, D.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Preclin. Pharmacol., Synergen, 1885 33rd St., Boulder, CO

80301, USA

SOURCE: Society for Neuroscience Abstracts, (1993) Vol. 19, No.

1-3, pp. 1642.

Meeting Info.: 23rd Annual Meeting of the Society for Neuroscience. Washington, D.C., USA. November 7-12, 1993.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1993345409 MEDLINE DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 8344218

TITLE: Endotoxin-induced corticotropin-releasing hormone gene

expression in the hypothalamic paraventricular nucleus is

mediated centrally by interleukin-1.

ATITHOR . Kakucska I; Qi Y; Clark B D; Lechan R M

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Medicine, New England Medical Center

Hospitals, Boston, Massachusetts 02111.

CONTRACT NUMBER: DK-37021 (United States NIDDK)

SOURCE: Endocrinology, (1993 Aug) Vol. 133, No. 2, pp. 815-21.

Journal code: 0375040. ISSN: 0013-7227.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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FILE SEGMENT: Abridged Index Medicus Journals; Priority Journals 199309

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ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 24 Sep 1993

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Entered Medline: 3 Sep 1993

AB In the acute phase of bacterial infection, a variety of cytokines, including interleukin-1 (IL-1), are elicited by bacterial endotoxin in both the periphery and the central nervous system. Bacterial endotoxin has been previously reported to profoundly activate the

hypothalamic-pituitary-adrenal axis, resulting in elevated glucocorticoid secretion that may serve an important role as part of the inhibitory feedback mechanisms on the activated immune system. To determine whether IL-1 acts within the brain to mediate endotoxin-induced CRH gene

expression in the hypothalamic paraventricular nucleus (PVN), we studied the effect of administering the human IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL

-1ra) into the brain, a competitive inhibitor of IL-1,

on CRH gene expression in the PVN after systemic lipopolysaccharide (LPS) treatment. Eight hours after the ip administration of LPS, the paraventricular CRH mRNA content was elevated 3-to 4-fold (P < 0.01) compared to the control value, and this elevation could be completely

abolished by central IL-1ra pretreatment (P < 0.05 compared to LPS-treated group; P > 0.05 compared to controls). In

contrast, systemic IL-1ra administration did not

inhibit endotoxin-induced CRH gene expression in the PVN. These studies demonstrate that LPS stimulates hypothalamic CRH by a mechanism that involves the action of IL-1 within the central nervous system and may proceed independently of peripheral actions of IL-1 circulating in the bloodstream.

L5 ANSWER 122 OF 124 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 61

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1994073717 MEDLINE DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 8252403

TITLE: Induction of tumor necrosis factor-alpha mRNA in the

brain after peripheral endotoxin treatment

: comparison with interleukin-1 family and interleukin-6.

AUTHOR: Gatti S; Bartfai T

CORPORATE SOURCE: Neurochemistry and Neurotoxicology Department, Stockholm

University, Sweden.

Brain research, (1993 Oct 8) Vol. 624, No. 1-2, pp. 291-4. SOURCE:

Journal code: 0045503. ISSN: 0006-8993.

PUB. COUNTRY: Netherlands

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Entered Medline: 13 Jan 1994

The constitutive expression of tumor necrosis factor-alpha (TNF alpha) mRNA and its induction (60 min later) by peripheral injection of

Escherichia coli lipopolysaccharide (2 mg/kg i.p.) was demonstrated by polymerase chain reaction (PCR), in the pituitary and hypothalamus but not in the striatum or hippocampus of the rat. The pattern of TNF alpha mRNA induction is different from that observed for mRNAs of IL-1 alpha and IL-1

beta, IL-1ra and IL-6 respectively. This

demonstration of the induction of TNF alpha in the brain may

contribute to our understanding of the central effects of TNF alpha in fever and anorexia.

ANSWER 123 OF 124 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 62

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1993342631 MEDLINE

PubMed ID: 8342131 DOCUMENT NUMBER:

TITLE: Interleukin-1 receptor antagonist improves survival and preserves organ adenosine-5'-triphosphate after hemorrhagic

shock.

AUTHOR: Pellicane J V; DeMaria E J; Abd-Elfattah A; Reines H D;

Vannice J L; Carson K W

Department of Surgery, Medical College of Virginia/Virginia CORPORATE SOURCE:

Commonwealth University, Richmond 23298-0475.

Surgery, (1993 Aug) Vol. 114, No. 2, pp. 278-83; discussion SOURCE:

283-4.

Journal code: 0417347. ISSN: 0039-6060.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE) (RESEARCH SUPPORT, NON-U.S. GOV'T)

LANGUAGE: English

FILE SEGMENT: Abridged Index Medicus Journals; Priority Journals

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199308 ENTRY DATE:

Entered STN: 17 Sep 1993 Last Updated on STN: 3 Feb 1997

Entered Medline: 31 Aug 1993

AR BACKGROUND. This study was designed to determine the role of interleukin-1 (IL-1) in hemorrhagic shock death. METHODS. Pentobarbital anesthetized C3H/HeN mice (n = 59) were prepared with a femoral arterial catheter and were randomized to treatment with an IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1ra, 10 mg/kg, n = 29) or an equal volume of phosphate-buffered saline solution (vehicle, n = 30) by subcutaneous bolus injection at 15 minutes before hemorrhage and again at 120 minutes. Continuous posthemorrhage delivery of IL-1ra or vehicle was performed in each group (1.5 mg IL-1ra in 30 microliters/day) through a subcutaneous osmotic pump. Rapid hemorrhage of 4 ml/100 gm weight was followed by normal saline resuscitation of 12 ml/100 cm 60 minutes later. RESULTS. analysis by Wilcoxon rank sum analysis revealed a significantly improved 5-day survival in IL-1ra-treated mice (n = 15, 20%) as compared with vehicle-treated mice (n = 14, 6%, p < 0.001). To determine a possible mechanism of this survival advantage, the remaining mice in each treatment group were killed at 30 minutes to obtain blood and tissue samples from the heart, liver, and kidney for measurement of adenosine-5'-triphosphate (ATP). No difference in hematocrit, circulating neutrophils, or levels of glucose, lactate, or tumor necrosis factor was identified between groups to explain the improved outcome. IL-1ra prevented hemorrhage-induced ATP depletion observed in vital organs of vehicle-treated mice. CONCLUSIONS. The data implicate IL-1 in shock-induced ATP depletion and suggest IL-1ra may improve hemorrhagic shock survival by preventing ATP depletion in vital organs.

ANSWER 124 OF 124 DUPLICATE 63 MEDLINE on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1992404945 MEDITNE DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 1388088

TITLE: Interleukin-1 receptor antagonist inhibits ischaemic and

excitotoxic neuronal damage in the rat.

ATITHOR . Relton J K; Rothwell N J

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Physiological Sciences, University of

Manchester, UK.

SOURCE: Brain research bulletin, (1992 Aug) Vol. 29, No. 2, pp. 243-6.

Journal code: 7605818. ISSN: 0361-9230. United States

PUB. COUNTRY:

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE) (RESEARCH SUPPORT, NON-U.S. GOV'T)

LANGUAGE: English

neuronal death.

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ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 6 Nov 1992

Last Updated on STN: 3 Mar 2000

Entered Medline: 22 Oct 1992

Interleukin-1 (IL-1) synthesis in the brain is stimulated by AB mechanical injury and IL-1 mimics some effects of injury, such as gliosis and neovascularization. We report that neuronal death resulting from focal cerebral ischaemia (middle cerebral artery occlusion, 24 h) is significantly inhibited (by 50%) in rats injected with a recombinant IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1ra, 10 micrograms, icv 30 min before and 10 min after ischaemia). Excitotoxic damage due to striatal infusion of an NMDA-receptor agonist (cis-2,4-methanoglutamate) was also markedly inhibited (71%) by injection of the IL-1ra. These data indicate that endogenous IL-1 is a mediator of ischaemic and excitotoxic brain damage, and that inhibitors of IL-1 action may

be of therapeutic value in the treatment of acute or chronic

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ACCESSION NUMBER: MEDLINE 1996233818 DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 9011765

TITLE: Adrenalectomy enhances pro-inflammatory cytokines gene

expression, in the spleen, pituitary and brain of mice in response to lipopolysaccharide.

AUTHOR: Goujon E; Parnet P; Laye S; Combe C; Dantzer R

CORPORATE SOURCE: INRA-INSERM U394, Bordeaux, France.

SOURCE: Brain research. Molecular brain research, (1996 Feb) Vol.

36, No. 1, pp. 53-62. Journal code: 8908640. ISSN: 0169-328X.

PUB. COUNTRY: Netherlands

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE) (RESEARCH SUPPORT, NON-U.S. GOV'T)

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ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 19 Feb 1997 Last Updated on STN: 19 Feb 1997

Entered Medline: 6 Feb 1997 AB To assess the possible influence of endogenous glucocorticoids on cytokine

expression in the brain, adrenalectomized mice and sham operated mice were injected with saline or lipopolysaccharide (LPS, 10

micrograms/mouse, subcutaneously) and the levels of transcripts for IL-1 alpha, IL-1 beta, IL-1ra, IL-6 and tumor necrosis

factor-alpha (TNF alpha) were determined 2 h after treatment in the spleen, pituitary, hypothalamus, hippocampus and striatum, using semi-quantitative reverse transcription polymerase chain reaction

(RT-PCR). Levels of IL-1 beta were measured by ELISA in plasma and tissues of mice sacrificed after the administration of LPS or saline. LPS induced the expression of pro-inflammatory cytokines at the mRNA level in all tissues under investigation, except for TNF alpha in the hippocampus.

This effect was potentiated by adrenalectomy in the spleen for IL-1 alpha and IL-1ra, the pituitary for cytokines other than

IL-1ra, the hypothalamus for all cytokines, the hippocampus for cytokines other than TNF alpha, and the striatum for IL-1 alpha and IL-6. In saline-treated mice, adrenalectomy increased IL-1 alpha and IL-1 beta gene expression in the hypothalamus and IL-1 alpha

gene expression in the hippocampus and striatum. LPS increased plasma and tissue levels of IL-1 beta, as determined by ELISA, and this effect was potentiated by adrenalectomy in plasma and tissues other than the spleen. These results can be interpreted to suggest that endogenous

qlucocorticoids regulate the neural components of the host response to infection and inflammation by inhibiting cytokine expression in peripheral organs and the brain.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:428209 BIOSIS DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199699159265

TITLE: Lower plasma CC16, a natural anti-inflammatory protein, and increased plasma interleukin-1 receptor antagonist in

schizophrenia: Effects of antipsychotic drugs.

Maes, Michael [Reprint author]; Bosmans, Eugene; Ranjan, AUTHOR(S): Rakesh; Vandoolaeghe, Eric; Meltzer, Herbert Y.; De Ley,

Marc; Berghmans, Raf; Stans, Greet; Desnyder, Roger

CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Psychiatry, Case Western Reserve Univ., Cleveland, OH, USA

SOURCE: Schizophrenia Research, (1996) Vol. 21, No. 1, pp. 39-50.

ISSN: 0920-9964.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Article LANGUAGE: English

ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 26 Sep 1996

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Recently, it was suggested that in vivo activation of the monocytic and T-lymphocytic arms of cell-mediated immunity (CMI) may occur in schizophrenia and that antipsychotic drugs may modify CMI. The aim of the present study was to examine plasma soluble interleukin-2 receptor (sIL-2R), soluble suppressor/cytotoxic antigen (sCD8), interleukin-1

receptor antagonist (IL-1RA), and Clara cell protein

(CC16) concentrations in normal controls, nonmedicated schizophrenic patients, and schizophrenic patients treated with risperidone or loxapine. Plasma concentrations of IL-1RA were significantly

higher in nonmedicated schizophrenic patients than in normal controls.

Plasma CC16 was significantly lower in nonmedicated and loxapine-treated schizophrenic patients than in normal controls, whereas risperidone-treated patients had plasma CC16 levels which were not

significantly different from normal controls. Plasma CC16 levels were significantly and positively related to age at onset of schizophrenia. Plasma sIL-2R was significantly higher in schizophrenic patients who were treated with risperidone than in normal controls and nonmedicated schizophrenic patients. The results show that (i) schizophrenia is accompanied by an activation of the monocytic arm of CMI (i.e., increased

plasma IL-1RA) and lower plasma levels of a natural anti-inflammatory and immunosuppressive agent, i.e. CC16, and that the latter may constitute a trait marker of schizophrenia; and that (ii) chronic treatment with atypical antipsychotic agents, i.e.,

risperidone, may normalize lower plasma CC16 and increase plasma sIL-2R.

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TITLE:

Interleukin-1 β (IL- β) and tumour necrosis factor (TNF) inhibit long-term potentiation in the rat dentate

gyrus in vitro.

AUTHOR: Cunningham, A.J.; Murray, C.A.; O'Neill, L.A.J.; Lynch, M.A.; O'Connor, J.J. (correspondence) CORPORATE SOURCE: Dept. Human Anatomy and Physiology, University College,

Earlsfort Terrace, Dublin 2, Ireland.

SOURCE: Neuroscience Letters, (1996) Vol. 203, No. 1, pp. 17-20.

ISSN: 0304-3940 CODEN: NELED5

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article FILE SEGMENT: 002 Physiology

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LANGUAGE: English

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SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 12 Feb 1996

Last Updated on STN: 12 Feb 1996

The effects of the cytokine, interleukin-1β (IL-1β), and its receptor antagonist IL-1ra, were studied on long-term potentiation in the dentate gyrus of rat hippocampal slices. Field excitatory postsynaptic potentials were recorded extracellularly in the molecular region of the dentate gyrus in response to stimulation of the medial perforant path. Low frequency synaptic transmission was unaffected by IL-1 β (1 ng/ml), but pre- treatment with IL-1 β completely blocked induction of long-term potentiation. Co-application of

 $IL-1\beta$ and IL-1ra (100 ng/ml) attenuated the inhibitory effect of $IL-1\beta$. In parallel with these findings, we

demonstrate that $IL-1\beta$ also inhibited (45)Ca influx into the slices.

The inhibitory effect of $IL-1\beta$ on induction was mimicked by tumour necrosis factor (TNF; 4.5 ng/ml) and lipopolysaccharide (LPS; 10 μq/ml). These results indicate a modulatory role for cytokines in hippocampus and suggest that the inhibitory effect of IL-1β on long-term potentiation may relate to its inhibitory effect on calcium channel activity.

ANSWER 113 OF 124 MEDLINE on STN ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996356147 MEDLINE DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 8748251

TITLE: Relationship between interleukin-1 and cancer anorexia. AUTHOR: Laviano A; Renvyle T; Meguid M M; Yang Z J; Cangiano C;

Rossi Fanelli F

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Surgery, University Hospital SUNY Health

Science Center, Syracuse 13210, USA. CONTRACT NUMBER: DK 43796 (United States NIDDK)

SOURCE:

Nutrition (Burbank, Los Angeles County, Calif.), (1995 Sep-Oct) Vol. 11, No. 5 Suppl, pp. 680-3.

Journal code: 8802712. ISSN: 0899-9007.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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LANGUAGE: English

FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals

ENTRY MONTH: 199610 ENTRY DATE:

Entered STN: 6 Nov 1996 Last Updated on STN: 3 Feb 1997

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AR Interleukin-1 (IL-1) induces anorexia via direct action in the brain, and its participation in the pathogenesis of

cancer-associated anorexia has been hypothesized. Because the functional ablation of the ventromedial nucleus of hypothalamus (VMH), where IL-1 receptors have been detected, reverses cancer-associated anorexia in tumor-bearing (TB) rats, we hypothesize that cancer anorexia involves the

direct effect of IL-1 on the VMH. To test this hypothesis, we investigated whether the intra-VMH injection of the IL-1 receptor

antagonist (IL-1ra) improves food intake in anorectic

TB rats. Sixteen Fischer rats (approximately 300 q/BW) were injected s.c. with 10(6) trypan-blue viable methylcholanthrene sarcoma cells, and then individually caged. Chow and water were freely available, and food intake was recorded throughout the study. Normal food intake was measured in 8 more rats, injected s.c. with normal saline. Tumor developed in all rats. When TB rats became anorectic, they were randomly assigned to either

treatment or control groups. Using stereotaxic techniques, 25 ng of IL-1ra dissolved in normal saline (TB-IL-

1ra; n = 8), or an equal volume of normal saline (TB-NS; n = 8) was injected bilaterally into the VMH. After surgery, rats were caged and changes in food intake recorded. At study's end, rats were sacrificed and brains removed for histological confirmation of injection sites.

In the TB-NS group, food intake decreased with the occurrence of anorexia. In contrast, the intra-VMH injection of IL-1ra reduced

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the severity of cancer anorexia, significantly improving food intake in TB-IL-1ra rats. Data indicate that centrally acting

IL-1 plays a significant role in the development of cancer anorexia.

L5 ANSWER 114 OF 124 MEDLINE on STN ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995310394 MEDLINE DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 7790404

TITLE: Attenuation of stroke size in rats using an adenoviral vector to induce overexpression of interleukin-1

receptor antagonist in brain.

AUTHOR: Betz A L; Yang G Y; Davidson B L

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Pediatrics, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

48109-0532, USA.

NS-23870 (United States NINDS) CONTRACT NUMBER:

SOURCE: Journal of cerebral blood flow and metabolism : official journal of the International Society of Cerebral Blood Flow

and Metabolism, (1995 Jul) Vol. 15, No. 4, pp. 547-51.

Journal code: 8112566. ISSN: 0271-678X.

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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LANGUAGE: English

FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals

ENTRY MONTH: 199507

ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 7 Aug 1995

Last Updated on STN: 7 Aug 1995 Entered Medline: 27 Jul 1995

AB Adenoviruses have been proposed as potential vectors for gene therapy in the central nervous system, but there are no reports of their use in the

treatment of a brain disease. Because central

administration of interleukin-1 receptor antagonist protein (IL-

1ra) reduces ischemic brain damage, we determined

whether a recombinant adenovirus vector carrying the human IL-1ra cDNA (Ad.RSVIL-1ra) could be used to ameliorate brain

injury in permanent focal ischemia. Groups of six rats received intraventricular injections of Ad.RSVIL-1ra or a control adenovirus

containing the Escherichia coli beta-galactosidase gene (Ad.RSVlacZ). Histochemical staining for beta-galactosidase 5 days after virus injection

indicated that transgene expression was confined primarily to the cells lining the ventricle. The concentrations of IL-1ra

injected animals, achieving levels of 9.1 +/- 3.3 ng/g in brain

and 23.7 +/- 22.5 ng/ml in CSF. In these animals, cerebral infarct volume resulting from 24 h of permanent middle cerebral artery occlusion was reduced 64%. These studies demonstrate that adenoviral vectors can be

used to deliver genes that attenuate brain injury.

ANSWER 115 OF 124 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 57 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996120539 DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 8556346

TITLE: Intracerebroventricular interleukin-1 receptor antagonist

blocks the enhancement of fear conditioning and interference with escape produced by inescapable shock.

AUTHOR: Maier S F; Watkins L R

CORPORATE SOURCE: Neuroscience & Behavior Program, University of Colorado,

Boulder 80309-0345, USA. MH 00314 (United States NIMH) CONTRACT NUMBER: MH45045 (United States NIMH)

MH50479 (United States NIMH) Brain research, (1995 Oct 16) Vol. 695, No. 2, pp. 279-82. SOURCE:

Journal code: 0045503. ISSN: 0006-8993.

PUB. COUNTRY: Netherlands

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE) (RESEARCH SUPPORT, U.S. GOV'T, P.H.S.)

LANGUAGE: English

FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals; Space Life Sciences

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ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 12 Mar 1996

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Entered Medline: 27 Feb 1996

AB Brain interleukin-1 (IL-1) plays a key role in mediating the neural, endocrine, and behavioral consequences of injury and infection. Recent evidence indicates that brain IL-1 may also be important in producing endocrine and neurochemical responses to stressors. The present experiment sought to determine whether intracerebroventricular (i.c.v.) administration of an interleukin-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1ra) would block behavioral effects of a stressor.

I.c.v. application of hrIL-1ra before inescapable shock blocked the subsequent interference with escape learning and enhancement of fear conditioning normally produced by this treatment.

L5 ANSWER 116 OF 124 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 58

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996078282 MEDLINE DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 7476020

TITLE: Expression of interleukin 1 alpha, interleukin 1 beta and

interleukin 1 receptor antagonist mRNA in mouse brain: regulation by bacterial lipopolysaccharide

(LPS) treatment.

Gabellec M M; Griffais R; Fillion G; Haour F AUTHOR:

CORPORATE SOURCE: Unite de Pharmacologie Neuro-Immuno-Endocrinienne, Paris, France.

Brain research. Molecular brain research, (1995 Jul) Vol. SOURCE:

31, No. 1-2, pp. 122-30.

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PUB. COUNTRY: Netherlands DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal: Article: (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LANGUAGE: English

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ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 24 Jan 1996

Last Updated on STN: 3 Feb 1997 Entered Medline: 7 Dec 1995

AB Lipopolysaccharide (LPS) stimulation is known to induce interleukin-1 (IL-1) mRNA expression in various immune cell types. Since IL-1 synthesis has been suggested to occur locally in brain tissue, we investigated the expression of IL-1 (alpha and beta) and IL-1 receptor

antagonist (IL-1ra) mRNAs in various structures of the

central nervous system, as well as in the spleen, following

intraperitoneal injection of LPS (100 micrograms/mouse). After RNA extraction and amplification by the reverse transcription-polymerase chain reaction (RT-PCR), the PCR products were separated on an agarose gel, transferred and hybridized with digoxigenin-labeled probes synthetized by nested PCR. Glyceraldehyde phosphate deshydrogenase mRNA was used as an internal control. Under basal conditions the expression of IL-1 alpha. IL-1 beta and IL-1ra mRNAs in the brain was

extremely low for the three cytokines; in the spleen these mRNAs were clearly detectable. Following LPS stimulation, mRNAs were strongly increased in all the tested tissues (cortex, hippocampus, hypothalamus, cerebellum, pituitary and spleen). The kinetics of mRNAs expressions in

the brain were similar for all the tested regions, with a

maximum at 6 h and a decrease up to 24 h after LPS administration. In the spleen the maximum was observed as soon as 1 h following stimulation. In conclusion, peripheral LPS stimulation induces a strong and transient expression of IL-1 alpha and IL-1 beta mRNAs in the brain.

IL-1ra mRNA is also stimulated by LPS in various regions of the brain. (ABSTRACT TRUNCATED AT 250 WORDS)

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995256395 EMBASE

TITLE: Brain interleukin-1 is involved in generation of

the serum suppressive factor induced by restraint stress in

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SOURCE: NeuroImmunoModulation, (1995) Vol. 2, No. 2, pp. 82-87.

ISSN: 1021-7401 CODEN: NROIEM

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FILE SEGMENT: 003 Endocrinology

008 Neurology and Neurosurgery

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English ENTRY DATE:

Entered STN: 19 Sep 1995

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Our previous work showed that a factor (a protein with a high molecular weight) in serum was induced by restraint stress in mice and rats, and suppressed lymphocyte proliferation induced by concanavalin A. It was also found that the generation of the serum suppressive factor was under the control of the central nervous system. The present work was designed to investigate the role of interleukin-1 (IL-1) in the brain in the generation of the serum suppressive factor. IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1ra) was injected intracerebroventricularly in mice and the generation of the serum suppressive factor was found to be significantly decreased in a dose-dependent manner. When the dose of IL-1ra reached 5 µg, the generation of the

suppressive factor was almost totally abolished. Intracerebroventricular injection of IL-1 β (1.0 pg) enhanced the generation of the suppresive factor. Taken together, these results indicate the involvement of IL-1 in the brain in mediating generation of the suppressive factor.

ANSWER 118 OF 124 MEDLINE on STN ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995104039 MEDI THE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 7805520 TITLE: Protective effect of interleukin-1 receptor antagonist on

oleic acid-induced lung injury.

Zhao M W; Sun D J; Ma D L AUTHOR:

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Respiratory Disease, 3rd Hospital, Beijing

Medical University.

SOURCE: Zhonghua nei ke za zhi [Chinese journal of internal medicine], (1994 Mar) Vol. 33, No. 3, pp. 158-61.

Journal code: 16210490R. ISSN: 0578-1426.

PUB. COUNTRY: China

DOCUMENT TYPE: (ENGLISH ABSTRACT)

Journal: Article: (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LANGUAGE: Chinese

FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals 199501

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ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 15 Feb 1995

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Thirty-six mice were divided into a control group, lung injury group by AB oleic acid and protected group with interleukin-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1ra). There were 12 mice in each group. Oleic acid was injected into the tail vein of the mouse with a dose of 0.2 ml/kg to produce a model of acute lung injury (ALI). The result indicates that preadministration of IL-1ra to the mouse with ALI can decrease the lung index, lung wet-to-dry weight ratio and leakage of protein from pulmonary capillary, elevate PaO2, and significantly attenuate lung histologic injury (alveoli edema, alveoli hemorrhage, lung necrosis, inflammatory cell invasion). It is suggested that IL-1ra has protective effect on oleic acid-induced lung injury and may be a potential tool for treatment

L5 ANSWER 119 OF 124 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 59

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1994109244 MEDLINE DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 8281850

DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 8281850
TITLE: Interleukin-1 receptor antagonist does not prevent

endotoxin-induced inhibition of qastric acid secretion in

rats.

AUTHOR: Saperas E; Tache Y

CORPORATE SOURCE: CURE/Digestive Disease Center, VA Wadsworth Medical Center,

Los Angeles, California 90073.

CONTRACT NUMBER: DK-30110 (United States NIDDK)

MH-00663 (United States NIMH)

SOURCE: Digestive diseases and sciences, (1994 Jan) Vol. 39, No. 1,

pp. 152-6.

Journal code: 7902782. ISSN: 0163-2116.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
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LANGUAGE: English

LANGUAGE: English
FILE SEGMENT: Abridged Index Medicus Journals; Priority Journals

ENTRY MONTH: 199402

ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 28 Feb 1994

Last Updated on STN: 28 Feb 1994 Entered Medline: 17 Feb 1994

AB The underlying mechanisms involved in endotoxin-induced inhibition of gastric acid secretion were investigated in conscious rats with pylorus ligation for 2 hr. Intraperitoneal injection of endotoxin (0.1, 1, and 5 micrograms/rat) inhibited gastric acid output by 31%, 80%, and 84%

respectively. Intraperitoneal endotoxin (1 microgram/rat) -induced inhibition of gastric acid secretion was not altered by pretreatment with

the interleukin-1 receptor antagonist, IL-1RA,

indomethacin, naloxone, or capsaicin. Treatments were injected

peripherally at doses previously shown to antagonize the antisecretory effect of exogenous interleukin-1 beta, to inhibit prostaglandin synthesis

in the stomach and brain, to block opiate receptors, and to

alter functioning of unmyelinated afferent nerve fibers. These results indicate that the antisecretory effect of endotoxin can be expressed factors other than interleukin-1, prostaqlandins, or opioid peptides that

do not require the integrity of capsaicin-sensitive afferent pathways.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998322992 EMBASE

TITLE: Specificity of interleukin-1β-induced changes in

monoamine concentrations in hypothalamic nuclei: Blockade

by interleukin-1 receptor antagonist.

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029 Clinical and Experimental Biochemistry

008 Neurology and Neurosurgery

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English ENTRY DATE: Entered

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AB The purpose of this study was to examine specificity in the effects of interleukin-1β (II-1β) on monoamines in various areas of the hypothalamus. Adult male rats were injected i.p. with saline or 2.5 or

5.0 μg of IL-1 β or were pretreated with 500 μg of IL-1 receptor

antagonist (IL-1ra) followed 5 min later by 5 μg of

IL-1β. The paraventricular nucleus (PVN), arcuate nucleus (AN), median eminence (ME), and medial preoptic area (MPA) were microdissected and analyzed for neurotransmitter concentrations by high- performance

liquid chromatography with electrochemical detection ($\mathtt{HPLC-EC}$). In the PVN, IL treatment produced significant increases in the

concentrations of norepinephrine (NE), dopamine (DA), DA metabolite dihydroxyphenylacetic acid (DOPAC), serotonin (5-HT), and its metabolite

5-hydroxyindoleacetic acid (5-HIAA). IL-1 treatment increased the concentrations of NE and DA in the AN but only of NE in the ME, and it

was without any effect in the MPA. Pretreatment with ILlra completely blocked the IL-1 effects. It is concluded that IL-1 induces highly specific changes in monoamine metabolism in the

IL-1 induces highly specific changes in monoamine metabolism in the hypothalamus, and the nature of these changes depends on specific hypothalamic nuclei.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:69017 BIOSIS DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199800069017

TITLE: Inflammatory gene expression in cerebral ischemia and trauma: Potential new therapeutic targets.

trauma: Potential new therapeutic targets.
Feuerstein, Giora Z. [Reprint author]; Wang, Xinkang;

Barone, Frank C.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Cardiovascular Pharmacol., SmithKline Beecham Pharm., 709 Swedeland Rd., P.O. Box 1539, King of Prussia, PA

19406, USA
SOURCE: Slikker, W., Jr. [Editor]; Trembly, B. [Editor]. Ann. N. Y.

Acad. Sci., (1997) pp. 179-193. Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences; Neuroprotective agents. print. Publisher: New York Academy of Sciences, 2 East 63rd

Street, New York, New York 10021, USA. Series: Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences.

Meeting Info.: Third International Conference on

Neuroprotective Agents: Clinical and Experimental Aspects. Lake Como, Italy. September 9-12, 1996. New York Academy of Sciences.

CODEN: ANYAA9. ISSN: 0077-8923. ISBN: 1-57331-092-1 (cloth), 1-57331-093-X (paper).

DOCUMENT TYPE: Book

AUTHOR(S):

Conference; (Meeting) Book; (Book Chapter) Conference; (Meeting Paper)

LANGUAGE: English

ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 30 Jan 1998

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997296595 MEDLINE DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 9152064

TITLE: Blood serum interleukin-1 receptor antagonist in pars

planitis and ocular Behcet disease.

AUTHOR: Benezra D; Maftzir G; Barak V

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Medical School, Jerusalem, Israel.

SOURCE: American journal of ophthalmology, (1997 May) Vol. 123, No.

5, pp. 593-8. Journal code: 0370500. ISSN: 0002-9394.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: (COMPARATIVE STUDY)

Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LANGUAGE: English

FILE SEGMENT: Abridged Index Medicus Journals; Priority Journals ENTRY MONTH: 199705

ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 9 Jun 1997

Last Updated on STN: 9 Jun 1997

Entered Medline: 28 May 1997

PURPOSE: To determine the levels of interleukin-1 receptor antagonist (IL-lra) in the blood serum of patients with idiopathic bilateral pars planitis and Behcet disease. METHODS: Five milliliters of blood was with-drawn from the cubital vein of 91 patients (58 with the ocular type and five with the combined type of Bencet disease; 28 with pars planitis) and 36 volunteers. Serum was separated from these samples and stored at -70 C until assayed. Interleukin-1 receptor antagonist levels were determined by human IL-1ra enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay kits. In patients not receiving any systemic medication, one serum sample was obtained before initiating treatment and another when the patients had been under full medical treatment for 6 weeks or more. RESULTS: Pretreatment mean +/- SD serum IL-1ra levels were 320 +/- 32 pg/ml for the patients with pars planitis, 380 +/- 54 pg/ml for patients with Behcet disease, and 271 +/- 29 pg/ml for the control subjects (no statistical significance). During treatment, a mean serum level of 352 +/- 37 pg/ml was observed in patients with pars planitis (not significantly different from control subjects) and 538 +/- 79 pg/ml in patients with ocular Behcet disease (P = .0116 compared with control subjects). The greatest increase in IL-1ra levels was observed in patients with Behcet disease who received a combination of cyclosporine and corticosteroids. CONCLUSIONS: Because IL-1ra is one of the natural immunomodulating molecules, the significant increase of serum IL-1ra levels, especially after combined treatment with cyclosporine and corticosteroids, could indicate that the therapeutic effects of this regimen may be mediated through its effects on this molecule.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997:260381 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 126:315564

ORIGINAL REFERENCE NO.: 126:61185a,61188a

TITLE: Neurotrophins and their receptors in nerve injury and

repair

Bbadi, M.; Bashir, R. M.; Heidrick, M. L.; Hamada, F.

M.; El Refaey, H.; Hamed, A.; Helal, G.; Baxi, M. D.;

Cerutis, D. R.; Lassi, N. K.

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SOURCE: Neurochemistry International (1997), 30(4/5), 347-374

CODEN: NEUIDS; ISSN: 0197-0186

PUBLISHER: Elsevier

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review

LANGUAGE: English

B A review with 251 refs. Cytokines are a heterogeneous group of polypeptide mediators that have been associated with activation of numerous functions, including the immune system and inflammatory responses. The cytokine families include, but are not limited to, interleukin

($\Pi_- 1\alpha$, $\Pi_- 1\beta$, $\Pi_- 1\alpha$ and $\Pi_- 2-\Pi_- 15$), chemokines ($\Pi_- 8/NAP-1$, NAP-2, $MIP-1\alpha$ and β , MCAF/MCP-1, MGSA

enemokines (IL-8/NAP-1, NAP-2, MIP-1 α and β , MCAF/MCP-1, MGSA and RANTES), tumor necrosis factors (TNF- α and TNF- β),

interferons (IFN- $\!\alpha,~\beta$ and $\gamma)\,,$ colony stimulating factors

(G-CSF, M-CSF, GM-CSF, IL-3 and some of the other ILs), growth factors (EGF, FGF, PDGF, TGF α , TGF β and ECGF), neuropoietins (LIF,

CNTF< OM and IL-6), and neurotrophins (BDNF, NGF, NT-3-NT-6 and GDNF). The neurotrophins represent a family of survival and differentiation factors that exert profound effects in the central and peripheral nervous system (PNS). The neurotrophins are currently under investigation as

therapeutic agents for the treatment of neurodegenerative disorders and nerve injury either individually or in combination with other trophic factors such as ciliary neurotrophic factor (CNTF) or fibroblast growth factor (EGF). Responsiveness of neurons to a given neurotrophin is governed by the expression of two classes of cell surface receptor. For nerve growth factor (NGF), these are p75NTR (p75) and

p140trk (referred to as trk or trkA), which binds both BDNF and neurotrophin (NT)-4/5, and trkC receptor, which binds only NT-3. After binding ligand, the neurotrophin-receptor complex is internalized and retrogradely transported in the axon to the soma. Both receptors undergo ligand-induced dimerization, which activates multiple signal transduction pathways. These include the ras-dependent pathway utilized by trk to

mediate neurotrophin effects such as survival and differentiation. Indeed, cellular diversity in the nervous system evolves from the concerted processes of cell proliferation, differentiation, migration, survival, and synapse formation. Neural adhesion and extracellular matrix mols. have been shown to play crucial roles in axonal migration, guidance, and growth come targeting. Proinflammatory cytokines, released by

activated macrophages and monocytes during infection, can act on neural targets that control thermogenesis, behavior, and mood. In addition to induction of fever, cytokines induce other biol. functions associated with the acute phase response, including hypophagia and sleep. Cytokine production

has been detected within the central nervous system as a result of brain injury, following stab wound to the brain, during

viral and bacterial infections (AIDS and meningitis), and in neurodegenerative processes (multiple sclerosis and Alzheimer's disease)1. Novel cytokine therapies, such as anti-cytokine antibodies or specific

receptor antagonists acting on the cytokine network may provide an optimistic feature for treatment of multiple sclerosis and other diseases in which cytokines have been implicated.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 127:246994

ORIGINAL REFERENCE NO.: 127:48243a, 48246a

TITLE: Monocyte activation and ischemic brain injury: role of tumor-necrosis factor-alpha and interleukin-1

AUTHOR(S): Siren, A. - L.; Mccarron, R.; Wang, L.; Garcia-Pinto,

P.; Ruetzler, C.; Martin, D.; Felgenhauer, K.;

Hallenbeck, J. M.

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Pharmacology of Cerebral Ischemia 1996, [International SOURCE: Symposium on Pharmacology of Cerebral Ischemia], 6th, Marburg, July 21-24, 1996 (1996), 429-435. Editor(s): Krieglstein, Josef. Medpharm Scientific Publishers:

Stuttgart, Germany.

CODEN: 64YHA7 DOCUMENT TYPE: Conference

LANGUAGE: English

The role of monocyte activation in the development of cerebral infarcts was examined in rats subjected to a modified local Shwartzman reaction by an intracerebroventricular (i.c.v.) bolus injection of lipopolysaccharide (LPS). Two weeks after chronic monocyte activation by an i.v. injection Bacillus Calmette Guerin (BCG) spontaneous formation of superoxide anions, an indicator for leukocyte activation, was present in 94.2% of the whole blood monocytes compared to 18.1% of the monocytes after vehicle treatment. Expression of B2-integrins was increased by 1.3 to 2-fold in monocytes of BCG-treated rats. Two weeks after priming with BCG, administration of LPS (100 µg/10 µl, i.c.v) resulted in paralysis and death of over 85% of the animals. None of the saline-treated rats were vulnerable to paralysis or death after this dose of LPS. Histol. evaluation of the brains of neurol. impaired and moribund animals revealed intravascular thrombosis and pale and hemorrhagic infarcts in the forebrain. The hippocampal pyramidal cells that exhibit selective vulnerability to global ischemia were preserved in all animals. Infiltrates of leukocytes were found around blood vessels, cerebral ventricles and meninges in all LPS injected rats. Treatment (2 + 100 μ g/10 μ l, i.c.v.) with the polyethylene glycol-conjugated dimer of the recombinant human TNF 55kDA receptor (TNFbp) completely prevented the paralysis and deaths in this model while the recombinant human IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1ra, 2 + 100 μ g/10 μ l, i.c.v.) decreased the incidence of paralysis and death to 40%. The improvement of neurol. symptoms was accompanied with reduced histol. damage in the brain tissue. The results suggest that chronic monocyte activation predisposes stroke-risk free animals to thrombosis and hemorrhage

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:317439 BIOSIS DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199699039795

TITLE: Circulating serum levels of IL-1ra in

patients with relapsing remitting multiple sclerosis are normal during permission phases but significantly increased

either during exacerbations or in response to IFN-beta treatment.

Nicoletti, Ferdinando [Reprint author]; Patti, Francesco; AUTHOR(S): Di Marco, Roberto; Zaccone, Paola; Nicoletti, Alessandra;

Meroni, Pier Luigi; Reggio, Arturo

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Cytokine, (1996) Vol. 8, No. 5, pp. 395-400.

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via an exaggerated release of proinflammatory cytokines.

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AB Interleukin (IL)-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1ra) is a naturally occurring inhibitor of IL-1 which binds to IL-1 receptors without generating immunologic responses. Evidence has recently been provided that the balance between the production of IL-1 and ILlra might influence the course of immunoinflammatory diseases such as inflammatory bowel diseases, rheumatoid arthritis (RA) and Lyme arthritis. To assess whether endogenous IL-1ra may also have a role on the course of multiple sclerosis (MS) we presently studied the fluctuation of the serum levels of IL-1ra in patients with relapsing remitting (RR) MS either during remission or exacerbation. Moreover, to evaluate whether the beneficial effect of IFN-beta on the course of MS might also be mediated by an increased production of IL-1ra, we measured the levels of circulating IL-1ra in MS patients prior to and after 6 months of continuous treatment with natural human IFN-beta (6 000 000 IU three times a week for 6 months). Our results demonstrated that, relative to control subjects, IL-1ra serum levels are 'normal' during remitting phases of RR MS but significantly elevated either during exacerbations or in response to IFN-beta treatment.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997055461 MEDLINE DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 8899748

TITLE: Induction of interleukin-1 beta and interleukin-1 receptor

antagonist mRNA by chronic treatment with various psychotropics in widespread area of rat brain. Suzuki E; Shintani F; Kanba S; Asai M; Nakaki T

AUTHOR: CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Neuropsychiatry, Keio University School of

Medicine, Tokyo, Japan.

SOURCE: Neuroscience letters, (1996 Sep 13) Vol. 215, No. 3, pp.

201-4.

Journal code: 7600130. ISSN: 0304-3940.

PUB. COUNTRY: Ireland

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE) (RESEARCH SUPPORT, NON-U.S. GOV'T)

LANGUAGE: English FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals

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We investigated whether psychotropics orally administered to rats affect levels of interleukin-1 beta (IL-1 beta) and interleukin-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1Ra) mRNA in the hypothalamus, hippocampus, frontal cortex, and brain stem, using a reverse transcription-polymerase chain reaction method. The psychotropics tested

were chlorpromazine, haloperidol, imipramine, maprotiline, fluvoxamine, and diazepam. Treatment for 28 days raised the levels of both

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mRNAs. The increase in IL-1Ra mRNA was 6-112 times larger than that of IL-1 beta mRNA in most brain regions

examined. These results suggest that chronic treatment with psychotropics causes greater amplifying effects on IL-

1Ra mRNA than IL-1 beta mRNA in the brain.

L5 ANSWER 107 OF 124 MEDLINE on STN ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996193026 MEDITNE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 8622824 TITLE: Mechanisms of sickness-induced decreases in food-motivated

behavior.

AUTHOR .

Kent S; Bret-Dibat J L; Kelley K W; Dantzer R CORPORATE SOURCE: Stanford University School of Medicine, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Science, CA 94305-5095, USA.
SOURCE: Neuroscience and biobehavioral reviews, (1996) Vol. 20, No.

1, pp. 171-5. Ref: 36

Journal code: 7806090. ISSN: 0149-7634.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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General Review; (REVIEW)

LANGUAGE: English
FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals

ENTRY MONTH: 199606

ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 27 Jun 1996

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Entered Medline: 14 Jun 1996

AB Interleukin-1 beta (IL-1 beta) is a cytokine released by activated macrophages and monocytes, which mediates many of the local and systemic responses to inflammation. Interleukin-1 beta induces anorexia in rats when administered peripherally or centrally. An endogenous antagonist for

the IL-1 type I receptor has been characterized and cloned (ILlra). We have used this protein to ascertain the site of action for the anorexic effects of IL-1 beta. Male rats were food restricted and

trained on an operant schedule for food reinforcement. Administration of recombinant human II-1 beta (4 micrograms i.p. or 40 ng i.c.v.) induced profound decreases in operant responding, with maximal effects 1-4 h

post-injection. Interleukin-1ra pretreatment (2.4 mg i.p. or 24 micrograms i.c.v.) completely blocked these effects when administered by

the same route. In contrast, i.c.v. Il-lra only partially blocked the effects of i.p. IL-1 beta, and i.p. IL-

lra was unable to block the effects of i.c.v. IL-1 beta.

Interleukin-lra did not affect responding by itself. These results

suggest that IL-I beta acts as both peripheral and central IL-I receptors to reduce food motivated behavior. To determine the central site of action of IL-I beta, small quantities of IL-I beta (5 and 30 ng) were infused into the ventromedial hypothalamus of male rats. Both doses produced profound decreases in responding; the magnitude and time course of these effects were nearly identical to those observed after i.c.v.

administration. These results suggest that the VMH may serve as a central site of action for the depressive effects of IL-1 beta on food intake. There is much controversy over the pathways of communication from the immune system to the brain. To test the hypothesis that the

peripheral immune stimulus is transmitted to the brain via a neutral communication pathway, mice were injected with lipopolysaccharide at a behaviorally active dose (10 micrograms i.p.). This

treatment increased the concentrations of substance P, neurokinin A, and calcitonin gene-related peptide in mouse spinal cord in a prostaglandin-dependent manner. Maximal increases in neuropeptide content were observed 1 h post-injection. Finally, subdiaphragmatic vagotomy was found to attenuate the reduction in food-motivated behavior induced by both IL-1 beta and lipopolysaccharide in mice.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:178547 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 124:258051

ORIGINAL REFERENCE NO.: 124:47809a,47812a
TITLE: Increased survival in experimental rat heatstroke by continuous perfusion of interleukin-1 receptor

antagonist

AUTHOR(S): Chiu, W.T.; Kao, T.Y.; Lin, M.T.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Public Health, Taipei Medical College,

Taipei, Taiwan

SOURCE: Neuroscience Research (Shannon, Ireland) (1996),

24(2), 159-63 CODEN: NERADN; ISSN: 0168-0102

PUBLISHER: Elsevier
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
LANGUAGE: English

AB To assess the possible therapeutic value of interleukin-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1ra) in the treatment of

heatstroke, the authors evaluated the effects of heatstroke on survival time (interval between onset of heatstroke and death), systemic and striatal hemodynamic changes, and extent of striatal neuronal damage in rats treated with saline or IL-1ra. The survival time of the heatstroke rats which received normal saline (single injection or continuous perfusion) was about 17 min. The heatstroke-induced ischemic damage to striatal neurons was due to systemic arterial hypotension, intracranial hypertension, decreased cerebral perfusion, and striatal dopamine (DA) accumulation (275%). Rats treated with a single injection of IL-1ra (200 µg/kg, i.v.) immediately after the onset of heatstroke survived much longer (91 min) than the controls. The prolongation of survival induced by IL-1ra was brought about by attenuation of the arterial hypotension, intracranial hypertension, decreased cerebral perfusion, ischemic damage to striatal neurons, and striatal DA release value (204%). Furthermore, after continuous perfusion of IL-1ra (200 µg/kg per h.

continuous perfusion of IL-1ra (200 $\mu g/kg$ per h, i.v.) immediately after the onset of heatstroke, the striatal DA release value of the rats was further reduced to 140% while the survival time of the rats was prolonged to up to 10 h from the onset of heatstroke. Thus, it appears that continuous i.v. perfusion of IL-1ra is a good choice for heatstroke therapy.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:283927 BIOSIS DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199699006283

TITLE: Clinical and immunological considerations in Epstein-Barr

virus-associated diseases.

AUTHOR(S): Andersson, Jan

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SOURCE: Scandinavian Journal of Infectious Diseases Supplementum,

(1996) Vol. 0, No. 100, pp. 72-82.

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Article

General Review: (Literature Review)

LANGUAGE: English

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Despite the fact that nucleoside analogues, such as acyclovir and ganciclovir, and DNA-polymerase inhibitors, such as foscarnet, have a proven antiviral effect on oropharyngeal-Epstein-Barr virus (EBV) replication, they have been unable to show any effect on the severity or duration of infectious mononucleosis (IM), a condition for which there is currently no established treatment. Clinical symptoms may be due to an EBV-induced polyclonal humoral, as well as cellular, immunoreactivity with limited pathology caused by viral replication itself. However, despite an extensive immune response, 90% of tested IM patients (n = 36) had a spontaneous outgrowth of in vivo EBV-infected B-lymphocytes at onset of disease, indicating lack of specific EBV-restricted cellular cytotoxicity at this time. Establishment of an EBV-specific T-lymphocyte response occurred 90-180 days after onset of disease (human leukocyte antigen-restricted cytotoxicity against EBV-infected B-cells). Thus, development of a specific cytotoxic response was a gradual and slow process. Assessment of cytokine pattern, at the

single cell level, was performed by immunocytochemical technique and by enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay. This revealed an increased production of interleukin (IL)-2, interferon (IFN)-gamma, IL-6 and tumour necrosis factor (TNF) beta in all IM patients. Those with disseminated disease were characterized by lack of IFN-gamma production. This loss was selective since in vitro stimulation with superantigen, such as streptococcal pyrogenic exotoxin A, induced a normal response. These patients lacked signs of EBV-specific T-cell cytotoxicity in vitro. Treatment with intravenous or subcutaneous IFN-gamma, 1.5 MU every second day, in combination with intravenous immunoglobulin G (0.5 g/kg three times per week) and oral acyclovir, 800 mg 5 times daily, has shown promising results in some patients. Cytokine production in tonsil tissue in 4 patients with fulminant IM and respiratory tract obstruction showed a concomitant expression of IL-2, IFN-gamma, IL-6, TNF beta, transforming growth factor (TGF)beta-1-3, granulocyte colony stimulating factor, granulocyte macrophage colony stimulating factor, IL-4 IL-1-alpha, IL-beta, IL-1ra and TNF-alpha. The number of M-2, IFN-gamma, IL-6 and TNF-beta producing cells was significantly higher compared to tonsil tissue obtained from children with tonsillar hypertrophy. Thus, IM is associated with extensive local cytokine production. It is suggested that this extensive cytokine production is closely involved in the pathology of IM and that patients with atypical IM have a dysregulation in the cytokine network. However, the mechanism by which EBV-infected B-lymphocytes triggers this cytokine cascade is still unknown. These findings show the need for evaluation of patients with immunodeficiency and EBV-induced lymphoproliferative disorders and perhaps the introduction of new immunoregulatory treatment strategies.

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TITLE: Cytokine-induced inflammation and long-term stroke

functional outcome.

AUTHOR: Vila N; Filella X; Deulofeu R; Ascaso C; Abellana R;

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AB Inflammatory reactions are involved in the pathogenesis of cerebral ischemia. Cytokines exacerbate brain ischemic injury by several mechanisms and they activate the synthesis of acute-phase reactants. We evaluated the association between cytokine-induced inflammation and

functional outcome in 41 patients with acute ischemic stroke. Blood samples for interleukin-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1ra), erythrocyte sedimentation rate (ESR), c-reactive protein (CRP) and polymorphonuclear leukocyte (PMNL) count were taken within 48 h from stroke onset. Functional outcome was assessed at six months with the Modified Rankin Scale. Patients with a Rankin score > or = 3 were classified as dependent outcome. The effect of inflammatory variables on outcome was analyzed by logistic regression. Mathew score <75 on admission, atrial fibrillation, non-lacunar infarct size, ESR>13 mm/h in men or >20 mm/h in women, PMNL count >8 x 10(9)/l, CRP>0.8 mg/dl and IL-1ra>500 pg/ml were associated with dependent outcome. On multiple logistic regression, severe stroke on admission, non-lacunar infarct size and ESR remain in the predictive model of outcome with a sensitivity and specificity of 76 and 80%, respectively. This study suggests that in addition to clinical evaluation and neuroimaging, measurement of ESR may be useful for the early detection of stroke patients with poor long-term functional outcome.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999280355 MEDLINE DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 10350527

TITLE: The role of brain cytokines in mediating the

behavioral and neuroendocrine effects of intracerebral

mycoplasma fermentans.

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AB Intracerebral administration of Mycoplasma fermentans (MF), a small microorganism that has been found in the brain of some AIDS patients, induces behavioral and neuroendocrine alterations in rats. To examine the role of tumor necrosis factor-alpha (TNFalpha) and interleukin-1 (IL-1) in mediating these effects we measured MF-induced expression of TNFalpha and IL-1beta mRNA in various brain regions, and the effects of TNFalpha synthesis blockers and IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1ra) on MF-induced sickness behavior and adrenocortical activation. Intracerebroventricular (i.c.v.) administration of heat-inactivated MF induced the expression of both TNFalpha and IL-1beta mRNA in the cortex, dorsal hippocampus, amygdala, and hypothalamus. Pre-treatment of rats with either TNFalpha synthesis blockers, pentoxifylline or rolipram, or with IL-1ra did not attenuate MF-induced anorexia, body weight loss, and suppression of social behavior. However, simultaneous administration of both pentoxifylline and IL-1ra markedly attenuated MF-induced anorexia and body weight loss, but had no effect on the suppression of social behavior. Pre-treatment with pentoxifylline, but not with IL-1ra, significantly attenuated MF-induced corticosterone (CS) secretion. Together, these findings indicate that both TNFalpha and IL-1 participate, in a

complementary manner, in mediating some of the behavioral effects of MF, whereas only TNFalpha, but not IL-1, is involved in mediating MF-induced adrenocortical activation. We suggest that cytokines within the brain are involved in mediating at least some of the neurobehavioral and neuroendocrine abnormalities that may be produced by

MF in AIDS patients. Copyright 1999 Elsevier Science B.V.

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TITLE: Interleukin-1 receptor antagonist beta (IL-1ra β)

INVENTOR(S): Young, Peter R.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Smithkline Beecham Corp., USA

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AB IL-1ra beta polypeptides and polypucleotides and methods for producing such polypeptides by recombinant techniques are disclosed. Also disclosed are methods for utilizing IL-

1ra beta polypeptides and polynucleotides in the design of

protocols for the treating chronic and acute inflammation, septicemia, cancer, anemia, arthritis, inflammatory bowel disease, graft vs. host disease, autoimmunity, stroke, cardiac ischemia, acute

respiratory disease syndrome (ARDS), psoriasis, restenosis, traumatic brain injury, AIDS, cachexia, among others, and diagnostic assays

for such conditions. Thus, cDNA sequences for IL-lra β were isolated, sequenced, cloned and expressed.

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TITLE: Production of mice deficient in genes for interleukin

rroduction of mice deficient in genes for interleukin (IL)-lalpha, IL-lbeta, IL-lalpha/beta, and IL-l receptor antagonist shows that IL-lbeta is crucial in

turpentine-induced fever development and glucocorticoid

secretion.
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187, No. 9, pp. 1463-75.

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Interleukin (IL)-1 is a major mediator of inflammation and exerts pleiotropic effects on the neuro-immuno-endocrine system. To elucidate pathophysiological roles of IL-1, we have first produced IL-1alpha/beta doubly deficient (KO) mice together with mice deficient in either the IL-lalpha, IL-lbeta, or IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1ra) genes. These mice were born healthy, and their growth was normal except for IL-1ra KO mice, which showed growth retardation after weaning. Fever development upon injection with turpentine was suppressed in IL-1beta as well as IL-1alpha/beta KO mice, but not in IL-lalpha KO mice, whereas IL-lra KO mice showed an elevated response. At this time, expression of IL-1beta mRNA in the diencephalon decreased 1.5-fold in IL-lalpha KO mice, whereas expression of IL-lalpha mRNA decreased >30-fold in IL-1beta KO mice, suggesting mutual induction between IL-lalpha and IL-lbeta. This mutual induction was also suggested in peritoneal macrophages stimulated with lipopolysaccharide in vitro. In IL-lbeta KO mice treated with turpentine, the induction of cyclooxygenase-2 (EC 1.14.99.1) in the diencephalon was

suppressed, whereas it was enhanced in IL-1ra KO mice. We also found that glucocorticoid induction 8 h after turpentine treatment was suppressed in IL-1beta but not IL-1alpha KO mice. These observations suggest that IL-1beta but not IL-1alpha is crucial in febrile and neuro-immuno-endocrine responses, and that this is because IL-lalpha expression in the brain is dependent on IL-lbeta. The

importance of IL-1ra both in normal physiology and under stress is also suggested.

ANSWER 94 OF 124 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 45 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998365074 MEDLINE

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Exacerbation of ischemic brain damage by TITLE:

localized striatal injection of interleukin-lbeta in the

Stroemer R P; Rothwell N J

CORPORATE SOURCE: School of Biological Sciences, University of Manchester,

United Kingdom.

Journal of cerebral blood flow and metabolism : official SOURCE:

journal of the International Society of Cerebral Blood Flow and Metabolism, (1998 Aug) Vol. 18, No. 8, pp. 833-9.

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Interleukin-1beta (IL-1beta) has been implicated in ischemic brain AB damage. The site of action of IL-lbeta in such damage is not known, but we have demonstrated previously that injection of the interleukin-1

receptor antagonist (IL-1ra) in the striatum but not the cortex of rats inhibits damage caused by permanent middle cerebral artery occlusion. The present study investigated the site of action of IL-1beta on ischemic damage by examining the effects of intracerebroventricular, striatal, or cortical injection of recombinant IL-1beta at the onset of permanent middle cerebral artery occlusion in the rat. Intracerebroventricular injection of IL-1beta (2.5 ng) significantly increased infarct volume in the striatum (35%, P < 0.0001) and in the cortex (44%, P < 0.0001) compared with vehicle treatment. Direct injection of IL-1beta into the striatum also increased infarct volume in both the striatum (36%, P < 0.0001) and the cortex (38%, P < 0.0001), whereas injection of IL-1beta into the cortex failed to affect infarct volume in either the striatum or the cortex. Cortical injection of a higher dose of IL-1beta (20 ng) also failed to affect ischemic damage in either the striatum or the cortex. Injection of IL-1beta into the striatum contralateral to the infarction had no effect on striatal damage in the ischemic hemisphere, but did increase cortical damage by 18% (P < 0.0001). In separate groups of animals, IL-1beta (2.5 ng) was injected into either the striatum or the cortex, and body temperature was recorded continuously in conscious free-moving animals by remote telemetry. Injection of IL-lbeta at either site failed to influence body temperature, suggesting that exacerbation of brain damage by striatal injection of IL-1beta is not caused by effects on body temperature. These results imply that IL-1beta exacerbates ischemic damage by specific actions in the striatum where it can influence damage at distant sites in the cortex.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998283137 MEDLINE

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TITLE: Different roles of brain interleukin 1 in the

adrenocorticotropin response to central versus peripheral

administration of lipopolysaccharide in the rat. Habu S; Watanobe H; Yasujima M; Suda T

CORPORATE SOURCE: Third Department of Internal Medicine, Hirosaki University

School of Medicine, Aomori, Japan.

Cytokine, (1998 May) Vol. 10, No. 5, pp. 390-4.

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AB Although it is well established that peripheral administration of endotoxin activates the hypothalamic-pituitary-adrenal (HPA) axis, information is very limited regarding whether central administration of endotoxin can similarly stimulate the endocrine axis. Moreover, it is also unknown whether a difference exists in the mode of involvement of brain-derived cytokines in determining the HPA response to peripheral vs central administration of endotoxin. In the present study, the authors attempted to gain more knowledge on these issues focusing on interleukin (IL) 1 in the brain, one of key pro-inflammatory cytokines mediating the immuno-endocrine network. In male rats, both intracerebroventricular [i.c.v. (the 3rd ventricle), 10 micrograms] injections of Escherichia coll lipopolysaccharide (LPS) caused a significant elevation of adrenocorticotropin (ACTH) levels in plasma, even though peaked ACTH responses occurred earlier after the i.v. (60 min

post-injection) than the i.c.v. (120 min post-injection) LPS. Although the ACTH response to i.c.v. LPS was significantly suppressed by a prior (5 min) i.c.v. administration of IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1Ra, 1 microgram), the hormonal response to i.v. LPS was not. That this dose of IL-1Ra was not biologically a small dose was indicated by another experiment that the same dose of i.c.v. IL-1Ra was able to significantly suppress the ACTH response to an i.c.v. injection of recombinant human IL-1 beta (50 ng). These results suggest that i.c.v. LPS, as i.v. LPS, can stimulate ACTH secretion in the rat, and this hormonal response may, at least in part, be mediated by brain-derived IL-1. Although there is one previous study reporting an important role of central IL-1 in mediating the HPA response to systemic LPS treatment, our present data suggest that such a mechanism may not operate before and during an early, peak phase of ACTH secretion after i.v. LPS.

ANSWER 96 OF 124 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 47

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 9481685

TITLE: Involvement of interleukin-1, prostaglandins and mast cells in rectal distension-induced colonic water secretion in

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AB 1. In vivo rectal distension (RD) induces a neurally mediated colonic net water hypersecretion in rats. Interleukin-1 beta (IL-1 beta) also induces neural colonic water hypersecretion involving the release of prostaglandins (PGs) and a mast cell degranulation in rats. This study investigated in vivo the role of IL-1, PGs and mast cells in RD-induced colonic hypersecretion, 2. Proximal colonic net water flux was determined using [14C]polyethylene glycol (PEG) 4000 (mol. weight 4000) in anaesthetized rats. On strips taken from the distal colon: (i) a histological analysis was performed to determine the number of mucosal mast cells (MMC); and (ii) histamine levels were measured by radioimmunoassay after stimulation with compound 48/80. 3. RD induced a net colonic water secretion that was blocked by i.c.v. administration of IL-1ra (an IL-1 receptor antagonist) and indomethacin, and by systemic treatment with doxantrazole and indomethacin. RD decreased the number of resident mast cells and the release of histamine from the distal colonic strips. Moreover, using SDS-PAGE immunoblotting the expression of IL-1 beta was detected in the brain. 4. These results suggest that, in rats, RD induces colonic net water hypersecretion by the activation of a neuro-immunological reflex pathway, involving IL-1 beta, PG release and peripheral mast cell degranulation.

L5 ANSWER 97 OF 124 MEDLINE on STN ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999081453 MEDLINE DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 9865855

TITLE: Modulation of TNF-alpha mRNA production in rat C6 glioma cells by TNF-alpha, IL-1beta, IL-6, and IFN-alpha: in vitro

analysis of cytokine-cytokine interactions.

Gayle D; Ilvin S E; Miele M E; Plata-Salaman C R AUTHOR: CORPORATE SOURCE: Division of Molecular Biology, School of Life and Health Sciences, University of Delaware, Newark 19716-2590, USA.

Brain research bulletin, (1998 Oct) Vol. 47, No. 3, pp. SOURCE:

231-5.

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AB Cytokines regulate the expression of other cytokines in the centrally derived rat C6 glioma cell line. However, the modulation of tumor necrosis factor-alpha (TNF-alpha, a pivotal proinflammatory cytokine) in C6 cells is unknown. Here we investigated the expression of TNF-alpha mRNA in C6 glioma cells in response to TNF-alpha, interleukin-1beta (IL-1beta), IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1Ra),

interleukin-6 (IL-6), and interferon-alpha (IFN-alpha). The data show that (1) IL-1beta induced a significant upregulation of TNF-alpha mRNA; (2) the effect of IL-1beta on TNF-alpha mRNA expression was completely blocked by the concomitant application of IL-1Ra,

which suggests specificity of IL-1beta action through the IL-1 signaling receptor; (3) no detectable modulation of TNF-alpha mRNA expression was observed with the individual applications of TNF-alpha, IL-6, or IFN-alpha; (4) the concomitant treatments of TNF-alpha + IL-1beta or TNF-alpha + IL-1beta + IL-6 strongly upregulated TNF-alpha

mRNA expression, whereas the concomitant application of TNF-alpha + IL-6 or IL-1beta + IL-6 induced a moderate increase; and (5) IFN-alpha significantly attenuated induction of TNF-alpha mRNA by TNF-alpha + IL-1beta + IL-6. Thus, IL-1beta, TNF-alpha and IL-6 interact to upregulate TNF-alpha mRNA expression synergistically, and IFN-alpha acts

as an inhibitory cytokine in C6 glioma cells. These findings also suggest that the rat C6 glioma cell line may be used as an in vitro model to characterize cvtokine-cvtokine interactions.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998288166 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 9622598

TITLE: Lipopolysaccharide (LPS) - and muramyl dipeptide (MDP)-induced anorexia during refeeding following acute

fasting: characterization of brain cytokine and

neuropeptide systems mRNAs.

Gayle D; Ilyin S E; Flynn M C; Plata-Salaman C R AUTHOR:

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ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 28 Aug 1998 AB We investigated the effectiveness of lipopolysaccharide (LPS) and muramyl dipeptide (MDP) administered into the brain to induce anorexia in acutely fasted Wistar rats allowed to refeed. We also assayed for changes in mRNA levels of IL-1 system components, TNF-alpha, TGF-betal, glycoprotein 130 (gp 130), leptin receptor (OB-R), pro-opiomelanocortin (POMC), neuropeptide Y (NPY), glucocorticoid receptor (GR), and CRF receptor (CRF-R) in selected brain regions. The data show that LPS and MDP induced anorexia differentially during refeeding. LPS-induced anorexia was of a stronger magnitude and duration than that of MDP. RNase protection assays showed that LPS and MDP significantly increased the expression of IL-1beta, IL-1 receptor type I, and TNF-alpha mRNAs in the cerebellum, hippocampus, and hypothalamus; LPS was more potent in all cases. MDP treatment, on the other hand, induced a stronger increase in hypothalamic levels of IL-1 receptor antagonist (IL-1Ra) and TGF-betal mRNAs relative to LPS. In addition, competitive RT-PCR analysis showed that LPS induced an eleven-fold increase in IL-lalpha mRNA in the hypothalamus relative to vehicle. These findings suggest that LPS and MDP mediate anorexia through different cytokine mechanisms. A stronger up-regulation of anti-inflammatory cvtokines (IL-1Ra and TGF-betal) mRNA expression by MDP may be involved in the weaker MDP-induced anorexia relative to LPS. No significant changes were observed in the peptide components examined except for an up-regulation in cerebellar gp 130 mRNA and down-regulation of hypothalamic GR mRNA expression in response to LPS or MDP. This study shows that LPS and MDP induce anorexia in fasted rats allowed to refeed, and suggests an important role for endogenous cytokine-cytokine interactions.

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TITLE: Interleukin-1 receptor antagonist suppresses Langerhans

cell activity and promotes ocular immune

privilege.

AUTHOR: Dana M R; Dai R; Zhu S; Yamada J; Streilein J W

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Massachusetts 02114, USA.

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AB PURPOSE: To determine whether the capacity of Langerhans cells (LCs) to abrogate ocular immune privilege can be suppressed by the topical application of interleukin-l receptor antagonist (IL-Ira). METHODS: Cautery was applied to corneas of BALB/c mice on

day 0 to induce centripetal migration of LCs. Immune privilege was tested by the ability to induce anterior chamber-associated immune deviation (ACAID) to intracamerally injected soluble antigen 1 to 2 weeks after cautery application. The number of LCs was enumerated by immunofluorescent staining. In other experiments, freshly procured Thy-1-depleted epidermal cells, with or without LC depletion, were injected directly into virgin murine corneas before testing for ACAID. All test animals were randomized for treatment with either topical IL-1ra or placebo in a masked fashion for 1 to 2 weeks after induction of LC migration and before intracameral injection of antigen. RESULTS: Intracorneal injection of freshly procured LC-depleted epidermal cells into normal eyes failed to abrogate ACAID, whereas LC-containing cell populations uniformly led to loss of immune privilege (P < 0.01). Topical treatment with IL-1ra led to retention of the cauterized eyes' capacity for ACAID induction (P < 0.01) and to a profound (>80%) suppression of LC migration compared with untreated controls (P < 0.01). Additionally, topical IL-1ra treatment of eyes with intracorneally injected LCs preserved immune privilege and ACAID induction (P < 0.001). CONCLUSIONS: IL-1 mediates mechanisms of immunity in corneal inflammation that subvert the normal eye's immune privileged state. However, its antagonism with topical administration of IL-1ra preserves ocular immune privilege and ACAID through suppression of LC function.

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